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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Harold M. Forman

For: Composite Web For Making Resealable Packages and Reclosable Seals

Serial No.: 10/022,423

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In Group Art Unit 3727

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AMENDMENT BEFORE EXAMINATION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

AMEND THE CLAIMS AS FOLLOWS:

1. (Amended) Packaging material for forming a flexible package [having a reclosable interlocking seal], comprising in combination,
 - a) a continuous web of substantially constant thickness packaging material, said web having width and selectable running length, said width defining the side edges of said web, and
 - b) a discrete strip of substantially constant thickness flexible material, said strip having length and width, said strip width defining the strip ends, said strip length having top and bottom edges and being substantially greater than said strip width, said strip length being secured transversely to the running length of said web of packaging material along the strip top edge and being substantially unsecured along its bottom edge.

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